Measurement of Y(nS) production at 7 TeV with the CMS experiment

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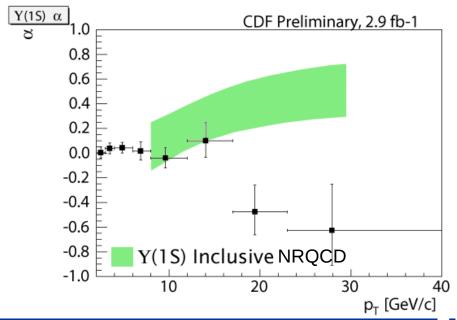
Theory



- Quarkonia production at a hadron collider is not theoretically settled.
- Most models fail to simultaneously explain experimental measurements of both cross section and polarization.

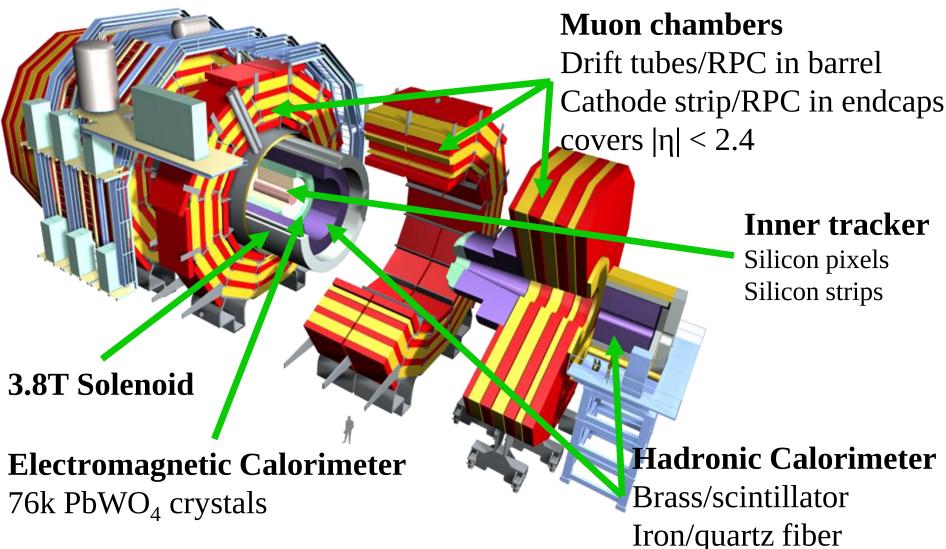
 The LHC can provide new measurements to understand quarkonium production including a larger reach in

 p_T .



The CMS detector

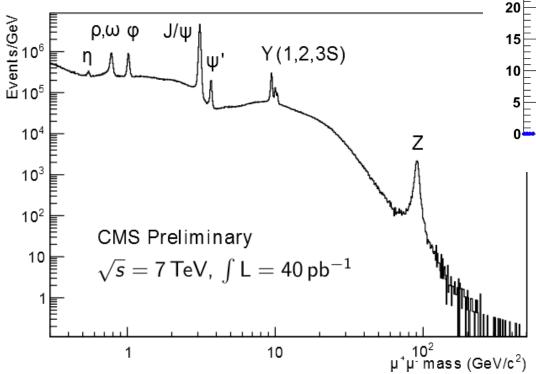


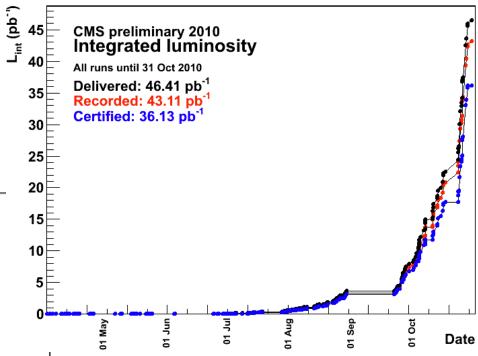


The dataset



- Results here are using 3 pb⁻¹ of data collected in 2010.
- Full 2010 data set is 40 pb⁻¹.





- Heavy ion data is also being analyzed.
 - More data is being delivered now.

Y candidate selection

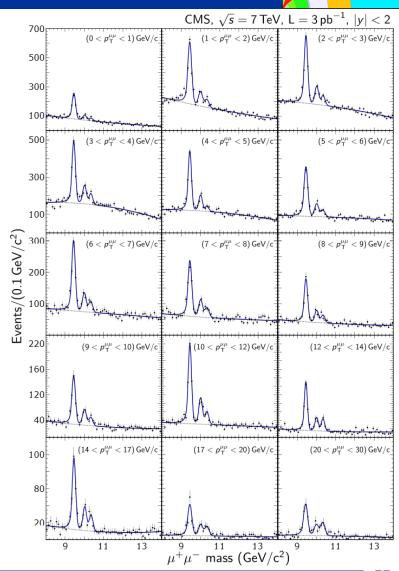


muon selection

- Kinematic acceptance
 - $p_T > 3.5 \text{ GeV/c if } |\eta| < 1.6$
 - $-p_T > 2.5 \text{ GeV/c if } 1.6 < |\eta| < 2.4$
- track $\chi^2/n_{dof} < 5$
- $\sim N_{\text{Si hits}} > 12$
- tracking parameters and impact parameter consistent with primary vertex
- muons matched to a dimuon trigger at Level 1

dimuon selection

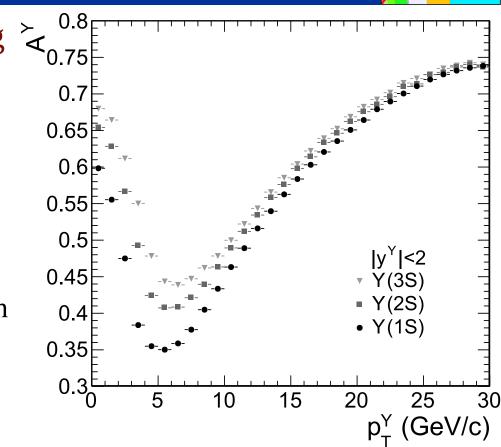
- opposite sign muon pairs
- vertex probability > 0.1%
- |y| < 2.0



Y acceptance



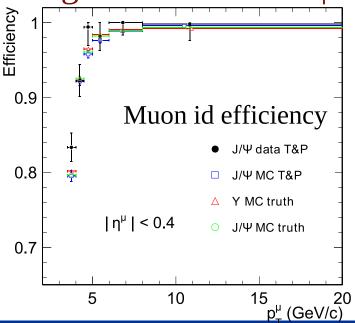
- Acceptance is evaluated using MC for its dependence on Y p_T and y.
- In addition, the acceptance is strongly dependent on the unknown production polarization.
 - Acceptance changes by as much as 20%.
 - Results are quoted for unpolarized case and for longitudinally and transversely polarized in both the Collins-Soper and helicity frames.

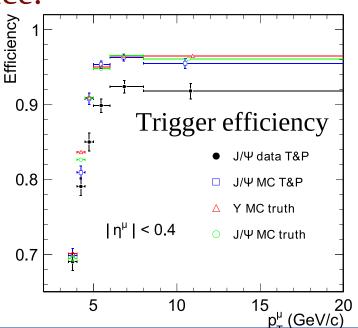


Muon efficiency



- Efficiency is factorized.
 - $\varepsilon(\text{total}) = \varepsilon(\text{trigger}|\text{muon}) \times \varepsilon(\text{muon}|\text{track}) \times \varepsilon(\text{track}|\text{accepted})$
- Tracking efficiency is evaluated using a track-embedding technique to find an efficiency \sim 98% and flat in p_T and η.
- Muon identification and trigger efficiencies are evaluated data using data from the J/ψ resonance.





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Results



• Integrated, unpolarized cross section |y| < 2

$$\sigma(pp \to \Upsilon(1S)X) \cdot \mathcal{B}(\Upsilon(1S) \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}) = 7.37 \pm 0.13(\text{stat.})^{+0.61}_{-0.42}(\text{syst.}) \pm 0.81(\text{lumi.}) \text{ nb}$$

$$\sigma(pp \to \Upsilon(2S)X) \cdot \mathcal{B}(\Upsilon(2S) \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}) = 1.90 \pm 0.09(\text{stat.})^{+0.20}_{-0.14}(\text{syst.}) \pm 0.24(\text{lumi.}) \text{ nb}$$

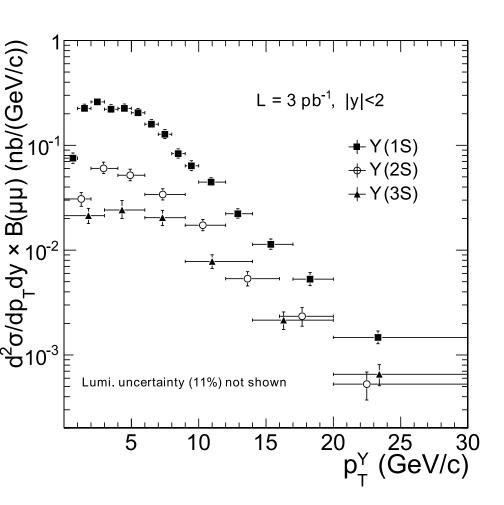
$$\sigma(pp \to \Upsilon(3S)X) \cdot \mathcal{B}(\Upsilon(3S) \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}) = 1.02 \pm 0.07(\text{stat.})^{+0.11}_{-0.08}(\text{syst.}) \pm 0.11(\text{lumi.}) \text{ nb}$$

- Dominant systematic uncertainties
 - Luminosity (11%)
 - Muon identification and trigger efficiencies (8%)
- A different polarization can change the cross section by as much as 20%.

Results



dσ/dp_T (unpolarized)



Variation due to polarization

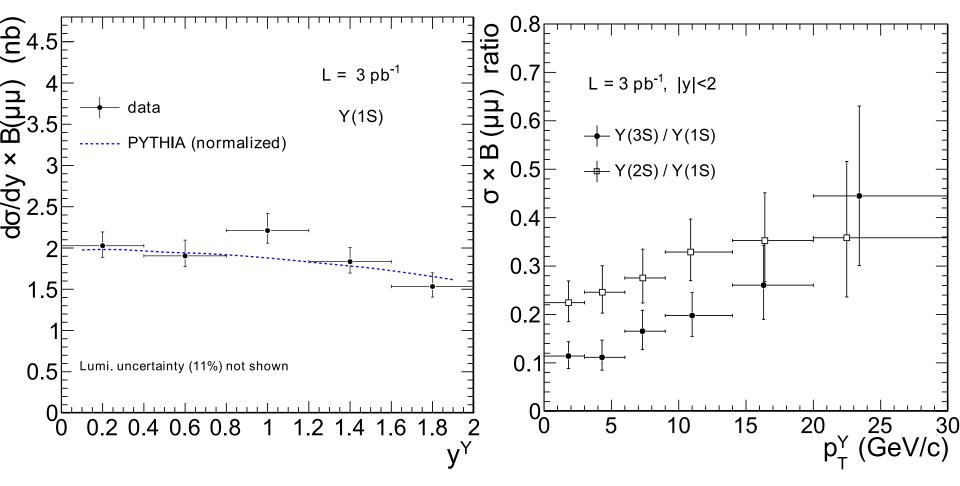
HX-T HX-L CS-T CS-L			
(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
< 1			
+16	-22	+13	-16
+14	-19	+18	-24
+14	-20	+18	-23
+18	-23	+8	-12
+18	-23	-1	+2
+18	-23	-4	+10
+15	-20	-5	+12
< 1			
+14	-19	+12	-15
+10	-14	+17	-22
+13	-18	+14	-19
+17	-22	+1	-2
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Results





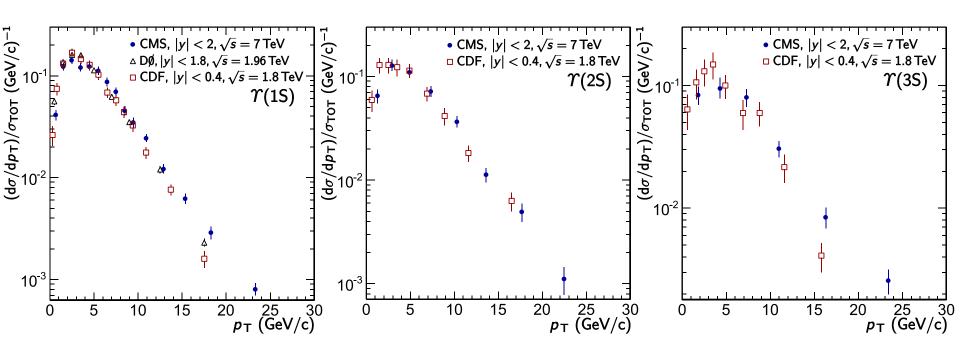
$\sigma(nS)/\sigma(1S)$



Comparison to Tevatron



Good agreement

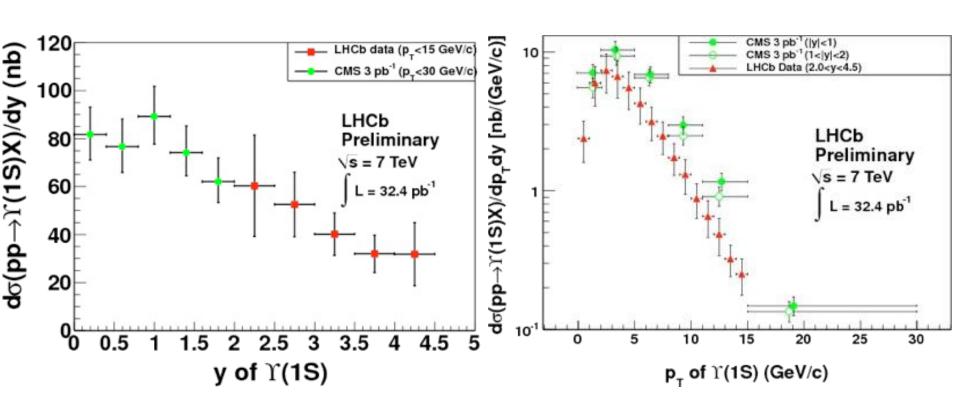


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Comparison to LHCb



Complimentary and consistent results

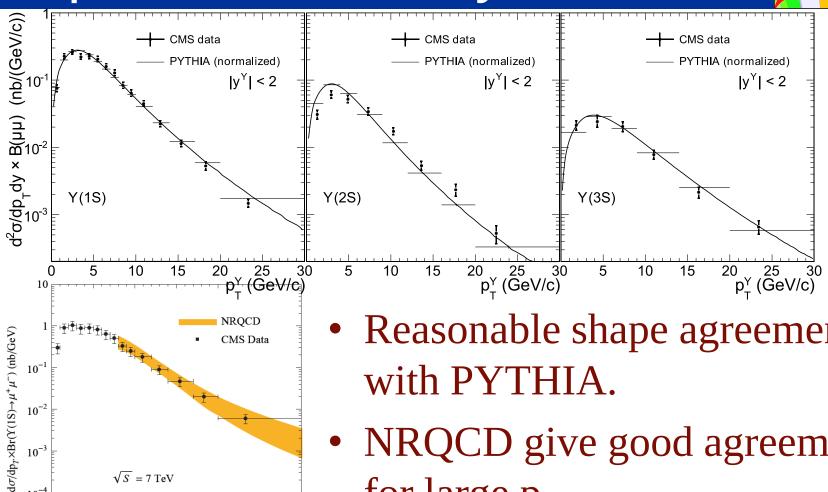


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Comparison to theory





- Reasonable shape agreement with PYTHIA.
- NRQCD give good agreement for large p_{T} .

 10^{-3}

 $\sqrt{S} = 7 \text{ TeV}$

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 $p_T \, (\text{GeV})$

30

 $|y_{\rm Y}| < 2$

Summary and the future



- CMS was the first to measure the Y(nS) cross section at the LHC and has found it to be compatible with expectations based on experience from the Tevatron and predictions from theory.
- The data sample has significantly increased, and for the future, CMS will update our cross section measurement as well as adding analyses to look at polarization and Y production in heavy ion collisions.
- More is yet to come!

Stay tuned



